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Watch them—and be convinced.

When you see all sorts of washing powders patterned after *Pearline*; when you see it imitated in appearance, in name, in everything except merit; when you find three persons using *Pearline* where two used it a year ago; when you hear it as a household word with the best housekeepers; when you find its former enemies now its staunchest friends;—then you may know the wind is taking you along toward *Pearline*.

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We have just received a new lot of Piano and Banquet Lamps. Also new shapes in

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JUST OPENED AT

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BOYS' 3-PIECE SUITS,

Ever Shown in Bangor.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

[FOR LATEST DESPATCHES SEE THIRD PAGE.]

A ARSENAL HORROR.

Reported that One Hundred Dervishes were Killed.

Explosion Destroys Immense Stores of Ammunition.

CAIRO, March 16. A terrible disaster occurred to-day at the arsenal at Omdurman.

From reports received it appears that about 100 Dervishes were killed by the explosion there which destroyed immense stores of ammunition and shattered the arsenal building and everything in the immediate neighborhood.

LITTLE HOPE FOR THEM.

Waves Breaking Madly Over the Galena and Triana.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., March 16. The revenue cutters Dexter, of Newport, and Gallatin, of Boston, arrived in this harbor this morning. The Dexter had on board the officers and crew of the Triana, wrecked on Cattyhunk.

The Dexter left Newport at 5 o'clock this morning for Gay Head, to render what assistance was possible. She arrived at Cuttyhunk at 8.15. She reported a heavy sea and a strong southwest wind. The waves were breaking with terrible force over the Triana and it was apparent she was doomed. Her bows have settled and her stern is lifted above the water.

If the wind continues it is expected that she will go to pieces. The Dexter only righted the Galena. She was in the fury of the waves, which were dashing over her with such force that only her topmasts could be seen through the mist.

The Dexter's officers could not speak of her condition or prospects but say they are much worse than they were yesterday.

They think that all three vessels will be broken up. On the arrival of the crew of the Triana they were sent by rail to Newport.

Gone to Assist.

BOSTON, March 16. The steam tug Elsie, with a lighter in tow, sailed from here this morning for Cuttyhunk to assist the United States steamer Triana before reported ashore.

ABDUCTED HIS WIFE.

English Court Refuses to Grant Writ of Habeas Corpus.

LONDON, March 16. The High Court of Justice to-day refused to grant a writ of habeas corpus to compel Mr. E. H. Jackson, of Clitheroe, to produce his wife in court.

The court held that if the woman were ill treated she had remedy in application for protection which she could make before a magistrate.

Jackson on March 8 abducted his wife and placed her in a house at Blackburn, which he barricaded to prevent his wife's friends from rescuing her.

MORTUARY.

Judge John R. Brady.

NEW YORK, March 16. Judge John R. Brady, of the Supreme Court, died this morning. His death was the result of a rupture of a blood vessel in the brain, which occurred at 7 o'clock last night.

Judge Brady was 69 years old. He was a brother of the famous lawyer, James T. Brady. He has been on the bench over 28 years. All parts of the Supreme Court adjourned until after the funeral on Friday. Eulogistic addresses were made by judges and lawyers.

IDENTIFIED A CRIMINAL.

Escaped from One Prison to Get Into Another

LYNN, Mass., March 16. State officer Shaw, of Lynn, has just returned from Maryland, where he identified Charles Willard, a convict in Maryland penitentiary, as an escaped criminal from the Salem jail.

Willard, on July 18, 1880, was arrested at Troy, N. Y., for larceny of a horse and wagon from S. H. Sawtelle, of Lynn, and brought here and bound over to the Essex county superior court. While held in Salem jail, a fellow convict from Lowell, one Flannigan, and he sawed the bars and with the leg of the iron bedstead in his cell assaulted one Weaver, a keeper in the jail. The pair made their escape and were

Lost Track Of

for a time. Flannigan was tracked to Lowell and traced to a house, which was at once surrounded by four officers. He succeeded in escaping, however, and is now in Montreal. Recently Officer Shaw heard from Willard and soon located him in Maryland, where he is serving five years for house breaking. He has also since his escape from Salem, done three terms in Sing Sing, N. Y., for forgery. His present term expires during the coming summer, and at that time he will be taken to Salem, and held to answer for his crimes in Massachusetts.

WHERE THEY MISSED IT.

What Benefit Would Have Resulted, If—

NEW YORK, March 16. A special to the Tribune from San Francisco says: If the shipping subsidy bill had been passed by Congress, several prominent shipping men here would at once have invested large sums in building steel and iron ships in this country.

A corporation to be known as the California Shipping Co. was one of the aims in shipping circles. It was intended to have a number of vessels built at Eastern and California ship yards for foreign trade.

No encouragement was offered by Congress and the proprietors of the company have decided upon building four steel vessels to sail from Honolulu and to fly the Hawaiian flag.

The vessels have been ordered at Belfast, Ireland, and will cost only $43.16 per ton, whereas wooden vessels built in Maine cost $60 per ton.

A Maine ship is guaranteed for only 15 years, while a British built ship gets rated for 30 years, being of steel.

IOWA.

Saloons may run as they Please in Sioux City.

SIOUX CITY, March 16. In view of the innumerable prosecutions lately begun by the Law and Order League against the saloons, Mayor Palmer has informed the liquor men that the license ordinance will no longer be enforced, and that the police will not interfere further to close saloons at night or on Sundays.

All the saloons were wide open yesterday. For over a year the city authorities have been collecting monthly about $2,000 by fines.

DISCOVERED IN TIME.

Attempt to Burn a House Frustrated.

MILFORD, Mass., March 16. An attempt was made to burn the Dewitt House early this morning in a room in the hotel used as a barber shop. The fire was discovered by a policeman and extinguished with slight damage.

The room was saturated with kerosene oil.

RHODE ISLAND.

BREWER LOCALS.

INAUGURAL CEREMONIES.

Full Text of Mayor Hutchings' Inaugural Address.

Election of City Officials.

At ten o'clock yesterday forenoon the old city council met in the aldermen's room in City Hall and adjourned sine die, after which the members repaired to the hall above, where a good sized audience were gathered to witness the inaugural ceremonies and listen to Mayor Hutchings' address. The ceremonies were opened by prayer, offered by Rev. B. B. Merrill, after which City Clerk Nickerson administered the oath of office to Mayor-elect Jasper Hutchings, who then proceeded to deliver his inaugural address, which was closely listened to by the audience, who as citizens show a keen interest in the financial welfare of their city. Mayor Hutchings addressed the council as follows;

MAYOR HUTCHINGS' ADDRESS.

Gentlemen of the City Council:

It has been many years since I have held any town or city office other than that of law adviser to the city. I have not therefore had special occasion to keep myself well informed as to the business of the city or its wants or needs and, being engrossed in the practice of an exacting profession, I have not done so; I have had little time or opportunity to procure such information since I was elected Mayor.

I do not feel that I have now a sufficiently good working knowledge of what needs to be done in and about the city's business to make, at the present time, any very definite recommendations. I shall therefore content myself giving you some statistics of interest to the citizens of Brewer gathered from the reports of the different city officers and making such suggestions in connection with them as the subject matter may naturally suggest, not forgetting, however, that a number of you have served in the city council before and have a more accurate knowledge of the city's business and wants than I have.

THE CITY DEBT.

The city's debt the first day of the present month of March—that being the day of settlement with the officers of the city —was $34,035, for principal: to get the whole indebtedness of the city something should be added to this sum for accrued interest.

This indebtedness is represented by a considerable number of outstanding promissory notes, held by different persons, all the notes drawing interest at 4 per cent. per annum. $13,485 of this debt becomes due the first day of next May, $3000 in June next. The rest matures later at different times during the present and next year. The assets of the city available for the payment of this debt are, as of March 1st:

Cash in the Treasury,	$ 465.69
Uncollected taxes,	2791.76
Uncollected sewer and concrete assessments,	979 06
Total amounting to	$4236.51

Deducting the amount of these assets at their face value from the $34,035 which the city owes and the balance of the debt against the city will be $29,798.49. To obtain the real balance of indebtedness however, something should be added to this sum for accrued interest and something, perhaps, for abatements upon the uncollected taxes and assessments; the city owes, net, about 3½ per cent. upon the value of the property in it as fixed by the assessors for 1890, the valuation being $891,090.

This debt has been largely contracted in making permanent improvements—building three new schoolhouses, rebuilding the City Hall and putting down sewers and concrete sidewalks.

It will be necessary to hire money to meet the city's indebtedness that falls due in May and June. This whole subject matter of the city's debt, how best to provide for it and pay it, I commend to your careful consideration.

I think that the citizens of Brewer do not want the debt increased, that their wish is that it shall gradually be paid and that the future expenses of the City should be met by a sufficient assessment of taxes, so that we may pay as we go. I share this wish. It is sometimes necessary to incur debts, it seems to have been so with our own city, but debts, whether of individuals or towns, are a burden to be got rid of as soon as possible.

EXPENDITURES AND APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1890.

The expenditures of the city for the year 1890 for municipal purposes were, $30,767.88. In this sum I have made no deductions for moneys received back by the city from any sources. Add to this the city's state and county taxes, $2,968 35, and you have a total cost of $33,736.23. The city has received from the State and School fund, on account of schools, $2,350.27. From sewer and sidewalk assessments and licenses to enter sewers for 1890, $773.96. From miscellaneous sources, $1,004.56. The taxes assessed for 1890, aggregated, $24,913 73. The abatements and discounts already made, are $2,322 07. Sewer and sidewalk assessments for 1890, uncollected, $979.06. If the city should realize the full amount of the unpaid taxes and assessments for 1890, the expenditures for the year would exceed the year's income the sum of about, $6,000 00. This is approximately accurate. The data that I had, did not enable me in the short time I had at command to obtain this sum with strict accuracy.

I am not aware that there is any pressing need for any considerable expenditure of money this year for purposes outside of the ordinary subjects for appropriations. The payment of interest upon loans, something upon the principal of the debt, increased State and County taxes that will probably come from the new State valuation, added to such appropriations as must be made for the ordinary expenses of the city will prevent a low rate of taxation.

There is one matter to which I wish to call your especial attention now because, if anything is to be done about it, it must be done at once, and that is the State valuation. You will remember that once every ten years the Legislature, upon report of a Commission, generally appointed to make investigations, puts a valuation upon the property in each city and town in the State as a basis upon which to apportion state and county taxes.

The valuation of Brewer in 1881 was $735,160. The valuation of Brewer prepared by the present Commission and just reported to the Legislature, is $1,307,970, an increase of, in round numbers, $572,000, and an addition of $316,000 to the valuation of the City for the year 1890 as made by its assessors. There has doubtless been, with the increase of population, an increase of taxable property, but no so great increase, it seems to me, as these figures of the Commission indicate. The only considerable manufacturing establishment that has been built in Brewer is in the past ten years is, so far as I remember, the pulp mill. The valuation put upon the property in Brewer by this Commission is, I believe, relatively higher than that which they have put upon property in other cities and towns generally, and if their valuation should be adopted by the Legislature I think an injustice would be done us. I advise you to give this matter immediate consideration.

I have spoken so far almost wholly of money and money matters, but I do not forget that there are other things besides money and means of money making. The people of Brewer want an orderly city, a temperate city, a moral city, they want protection for person and property, they want good schools, and I believe are willing to pay for having good schools.

And now in conclusion, addressing my

OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

William H. Gardner had	10

and William H. Gardner was declared elected.

SUPERVISOR OF SCHOOLS.

Frank A. Floyd had	10

and Frank A. Floyd was declared elected.

SCHOOL AGENT.

Stephen A. Hall had	10

and Stephen A. Hall was declared elected.

STREET COMMISSIONER.

Charles W. Holbrook had	10

and Charles W. Holbrook was declared elected.

CITY MARSHAL.

George H. Lunt had	10

and George H. Lunt was declared elected.

CHIEF ENGINEER OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Charles A. Harlow had	10

and Charles A Harlow was declared elected.

AUDITOR.

Frank E. Collins had	10

and Frank E. Collins was declared elected.

SUPERINTENDENT OF OAK HILL CEMETERY.

Stephen A. Hall had	10

and Stephen A. Hall was declared elected.

SEXTON FOR OAK HILL CEMETERY.

Stephen A. Hall had	10

and Stephen A. Hall was declared elected.

FOR NORTH BREWER CEMETERY.

D. C. Sinclair had	10

and D. C. Sinclair was declared elected.

JANITOR.

John H. Lawson had	10

and John H Lawson was declared elected.

MEMBER OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

Edgar A. Stanley had	10

and Edgar A. Stanley was declared elected.

Voted that choice of other officials be postponed until the evening session.

Mayor Hutchings then read a letter from City Treasurer John L. Crosby, of Bangor, in regard to the high valuation placed upon property in Bangor and Brewer by the Valuation Commission for 1891. H. C. Snow, Representative to the Legislature, made a few remarks and suggestions touching the question and an informal vote was taken to empower Mayor Hutchings to draw up a memorial to the Legislature, that in co-operation with Bangor a strong protest may be made against such an unjust increase.

Adjourned to 7 P. M. to continue election of officers.

EVENING MEETING.

At seven o'clock in the evening the Council again assembled to finish the business of the day. Alderman H. F. Tefft was elected permanent chairman of the board and they then proceeded to ballot for further city officials.

TREASURER.

C. M. Cochran had	10

and C. M. Cochran was declared elected.

CITY SOLICITOR.

Frank A. Floyd had	10

and Frank A. Floyd was declared elected.

CITY PHYSICIAN.

Dr. I. Getchell had	10

and Dr. I. Getchell was declared elected.

CONSTABLES.

Ward 1, J. W. Glidden had	10
but declined to serve.	
Moses A. Howard had	10
Ward 2, J. H. Lawson had	10
Ward 3, R. E. Jones had	10
Ward 4, H. Gregg had	10
Ward 5, Seth Puffer had	10

and the above were declared elected.

School Agent S. A. Hall was elected Truant Officer.

Voted to instruct the Mayor to petition the Legislature for a hearing upon the report of the State Valuation Commission.

Voted to send one of the Assessors to Augusta in the city's interest if the hearing is granted to them. The standing committees for the year were then elected.

Petition for a new street to be laid out near A. H., Mann's store; referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

Petition for concrete walks from school houses to street; referred to Committee on Schools and School Houses.

Petition for a highway from Main street to Ayer's mill; indefinitely postponed.

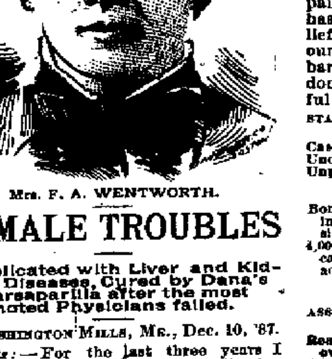
Petition for street light at corner of Main and Holyoke streets; petitioners granted leave to withdraw.

Petitions for hydrants on Mill, Main near H. M. Farrington's, two at North Brewer, near Burr brook; laid on the table.

Mr. Floyd having expressed his inability to assume the duties of Supervisor of Schools, his refusal was accepted and Mr. George Curtis was elected to serve in Mr. Floyd's stead.

Voted, to adopt the rules and orders of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the preceding year.

The council then adjourned to Monday evening, the 30th inst.



Mrs. F. A. WENTWORTH.

FEMALE TROUBLES

Complicated with Liver and Kidney Diseases, Cured by Dana's Sarsaparilla after the most noted Physicians failed.

WASHINGTON MILLS, ME., Dec. 10, '87.

Gents:—For the last three years I have been suffering from a complication of Diseases, and have employed the most skilful physicians in the state, having been treated by local physicians at home and by physicians in Portland, Me. **All my physicians told me my disease was so complicated, I could never get well.** And certainly all my medical treatment gave me no relief. **I had no appetite,** bowels in a bad state, **female trouble** combined with liver and kidney trouble, so said my physicians. I grew so weak and reduced, I had done **no work for one year,** when Dr. Tribou, my physician, at the time, advised me to try DANA'S SARSAPARILLA.

Soon after trying it I began to feel a wonderful change. I commenced to gain in flesh and strength, and after taking three bottles I felt like another person. **I now feel well and strong and am able to do all the work in a family of eight.** I feel that I owe my health entirely to the **wonderful curative power of DANA'S SARSAPARILLA.** I prize this valuable remedy highly, and shall earnestly recommend it to all the afflicted.

I cannot say too much in its praise for all it has done for me.

Very truly yours,

MRS. F. A. WENTWORTH.

INAUGURATION DAY.

Members of the City Government Sworn In.

Full Text of Mayor Snow's Address.

A large number of the citizens of Bangor assembled at City Hall, yesterday forenoon, to witness the inauguration of our city's Chief Executive and the City Fathers, and in the galleries were quite a number of ladies. Soon after ten o'clock Mayor Blake and Mayor-elect Snow ascended to the platform from the City Council Rooms below, and took seats. They were followed by the in-coming councilmen and aldermen, who took the seats reserved for them in the front of the hall. Upon the platform were also seated many of the ex-mayors of the city, and Rev. S. C. Beach, pastor of the Unitarian church.

The meeting was called to order by City Clerk Brett, after which proceeding Rev. Mr. Beach offered prayer. The Mayor-elect was then sworn in by City Clerk Brett and the Mayor administered the oath to the aldermen and councilmen-elect. Afterwards the mayor delivered his inaugural address, which was as follows:

Gentlemen of the City Council:

We have been designated by our fellow citizens, in the manner prescribed by the charter, to administer the affairs of the city for the ensuing municipal year, and it becomes my duty to present, in as brief a manner as possible, the present condition of our affairs, as reported by the heads of the various departments. I wish the custom might prevail for the retiring Mayor to make this report to the City Government, leaving the incoming Mayor to offer his recommendations. This would permit the one to speak of matters and measures with which he has been identified, and regarding which he should be the best authority, and it would relieve the other of the embarrassment of speaking on subjects with which he has not become familiar. The first report to claim our attention is that of the Treasurer by which the finances of the city are shown to be in a most satisfactory condition.

ABSTRACT OF THE CITY TREASURER'S ACCOUNT RENDERED MARCH 12, 1891.

DEBITS.

1890. March 12, For balance of cash on hand,	$ 8,679 08
Receipts for municipal year, 1890-'91, thus:	
1891. March 12, Treasurer's notes discounted,	$115,[illegible]
Collections of taxes for 1874-1890, including abatements and discounts	244,954 33
Credits to various funds, additional to appropriations	101,754 38
Bangor & Piscataquis R. R. Co., on account of coupons on city loans due April and October, 1890	41,000 00
Maine Central R. R. Co., for coupons on city loans to E. & N. A. Ry. Co., due July, 1890 and January, 1891	60,000 00
State of Maine for pensions	2,070 00
Receipts for redemption of estates sold for taxes	278 21
Addition to fund held for Bangor Fuel Society from estate of H. A. Wood, Esq.	500 00
Addition to Firemen's Relief Fund from Charles Woodman, Esq.	25 00
	$575,204 40

CREDITS.

1891. March 12, Amount of Mayor's orders,	$464,248 71
State tax, 1890	19,639 74
County tax, 1890	15,507 93
Coupons on city loans to B. & P. R. R. Co.	59,250 00
Coupons on city loans to E. & N. A. R'y. Co	60,391 00
State pensions to citizens of Bangor	2,070 00
Refunded to purchasers at tax sales	278 21
Total disbursements	$561,408 71
Balance of cash on hand	13,795 69
	$575,204 40

STANDING OF FUNDS, 1890-1891.

Funds.	Amounts expended.	Appropriations and credits.	Unexpended balances.	Overdrawn balances.
Highway	$ 26,607 87	$27,414 57	$ 806 70	
Bridge,	1,843 46	1,650 00		193 46
Paving,	5,880 27	6,000 00	119 73	
School,	52,764 20	52,148 80		615 40
Pauper,	17,331 20	17,437 00	106 40	
Incidental,	11,218 28	14,543 77	3,324 49	
Fire,	19,973 39	18,200 00		1,773 39
Salary,	8,912 14	9,000 00	87 86	
Police,	12,769 52	14,574 63	1,805 11	
Sewer,	19,160 31	20,495 35	1,339 04	
Water,	52,302 45	56,587 13	4,284 68	
City Agency,	12,323 87	14,045 37	1,721 50	
Interest,	18,385 07	18,092 01		293 06
Overlayings,	6,754 04	6,756 88	2 84	
Dis. on taxes,	10,209 61	10,000 00		209 61
Street Lights,	5,685 45	7,069 85	1,384 40	
	$2[illegible] 73	293,884 96	14,982 75	3,116 52

Total unexpended balances	$14,982 75
Total overdrawn "	3,116 52
Net unexpended "	$11,866 23

In the above disbursements is included the unusual expense, incident to the enforcement of the law providing for free text books, amounting to about $7,000.00, and also the third and last payment of $5,700.00 on the pumps purchased for the Water department some three years since. In these two items there can probably be saved during the present year, at least $10,000.00.

ABSTRACT OF COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDING MARCH 12, 1891.

DEBITS.

1890. March 12, Balance of uncollected taxes,	$ 59,417 58
Oct. 1, Commitment of tax for 1890	247,133 65
1891. March 12, Supplementary taxes	117 88
	$306,669 11

CREDITS.

1891. March 12, Amount collected and paid into Treasury, including discounts and abatements	$244,954 03
Balance of taxes uncollected for years 1878-1890, inclusive	61,715 08
	$306,669 11

The result of the action of the City Council of 1860, reducing the rate of discount from ten to five per cent. on taxes paid within one month of commitment, has now demonstrated that a welcome relief has been afforded to a large class of our citizens, without any perceptible embarrassment to the Treasury, and the wisdom of this experiment is regarded as fully vindicated.

STATEMENT OF DUES TO THE CITY OF BANGOR. MARCH 12, 1891.

Cash on hand including Bank deposits.	$ 13,793 69
Uncollected taxes, 1878-1890, inclusive,	61,715 08
Unpaid assessments for sewerage	5,834 78
	$ 81,543 55
Bonds and coupons included in Sinking Fund, (as per report of Commissioners.)	2,220,570 00
4,000 shares (being a majority) of the capital stock of the Bangor & Piscataquis R. R. Co., of a par value of	200,000 00
	$2,502,115 55

ASSESSED VALUATION OF ESTATES IN THE CITY OF BANGOR, 1890.

Real estate of resident owners	$6,626,390 00	
Real estate of non-resident owners	525,440 00	$7,151,830 00
Personal estate of resident owners	$3,063,123 00	
Personal estate of non-resident owners	95,165 00	3,158,288 00
Total assessments		$10,310,118 00
Municipal real estate including Water Works and Electric Light Plant,		860,500 00
		$11,170,618 00

Increase over valuation of 1889, $355,466.00.

STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF BANGOR, MARCH 12, 1891.

Municipal bonds as follows:

Four per cent., due Nov. 14, 1891,		$10,000 00
Seven per cent., due Sept. 1, 1892,		50,000 00
Six per cent., due Jan. 1, 1894,		100,000 00
Water bonds, six per ct., due July 1, 1905,		500,000 00
		$660,000 00
Treasurer's notes due Penobscot Savings bank on demand, (interest paid to March 20, 1891),		8,750 00
On demand, (interest paid to March 26, 1891),		10,000 00
Trust Funds:		
4%, Bangor Fuel Society,	$1,000 00	
4%,	500 00	
5%, Home for Aged Women,	25,000 00	
5%, Bangor Children Home,	40,000 00	
5%, Bangor Mechanic Association,	19,000 00	
4½%, Whitefield fund for [illegible] Women,	10,000 00	
5%, Firemen's Relief Fund,	1,075 00	
5%, Nelson Medal Fund,	1,000 00	$[illegible]
Seven per cent. bonds, Nos. 1 to 325, $1,000 each,		325,000 00
All due April 1, 1895,		$925,000 00
Total liabilities (direct and contingent),		$2,693,125 00
Less assets above stated, viz.: Cash and uncollected claims,	$71,345 55	
Sinking Fund,	2,220,570 00	2,291,915 55
Net liability,		$401,209 45

With reference to the Treasurer's notes outstanding, the amount was borrowed to provide for the deficiency caused by the partial failure of the Bangor and Piscataquis Railroad Company to pay the company on their loan due the City in 1890, (say $58,750.00 less $42,000.00 paid), $16,750.00.

By a recent act of the present Legislature, authority has been granted for renewal of the Municipal bonds, now bearing interest at six and seven per cent. and maturing in September, 1892, and January, 1894, at a rate not exceeding four per cent. which can doubtless be accomplished without difficulty.

The establishment in 1890, of a Sinking Fund for the protection of the Railroad loans, has already strengthened the credit of the city, as is indicated in her improved financial standing in the Census tables of 1890, and the official admission of her securities by the Massachusetts commissioners, to the savings banks of that State. The favorable result of this action will more clearly appear, when the city is in the market for the renewal of her bonds.

An ordinance was passed by the last City Council, providing for a more exact examination of all claims against the City, than has been practicable under the method heretofore in use, which, under the increased volume and variety of accounts has failed to secure the requisite accuracy.

The Hersey Fund of one hundred thousand dollars, forms no part of the city debt, being invested in securities by the board of trustees, who apply its net income for the benefit of the Bangor Public Library, and whose annual report was made agreeably to the ordinance, to the City Council, in February last.

By this report it is shown that the total amount now charged to the investment account is $110,835.34. By the ordinance relating to this Fund the Trustees are required to keep it at "an ever present value of $100,000 00," and in order to provide for the absorption of premiums paid on securities, to reserve a sufficient portion of the income, which has been done as herein stated.

Since the application of the income of the Hersey Fund to the needs of the Public Library there has been a large increase in the number of books, and a marked improvement in their value.

There is pressing need of a suitable building for the Library and if public spirited citizens feel moved to contribute to a fund for this purpose their gifts will not be declined.

TAXATION.

The subject of taxation is an important one, and of especial interest to us at this time. In the report of the State valuation commission made to the Legislature the valuation of Bangor is changed from $8,732,605, (the amount at which our valuation was fixed by the commission of 1881) to $12,177,041, an increase of 39+ per cent. It is difficult to understand how the commission arrived at this result. The actual cash value of real estate here warrants but a small part of this increase which is a manifest injustice. The present valuation as found upon the assessors' books, is $10,310,118, and the most careful examination could add but a small amount to this. If the contemplated change in the rate of State taxation, from 2½ to 3 mills per dollar be made the amount of our state and county tax will be nearly double what it now is. I trust you will give this subject immediate consideration, that measures may be taken to make plain to the Legislature the error into which the commission has fallen.

SCHOOLS.

The report of the school agent and superintendent will be found of interest. The agent reports the buildings in good condition, but in some of them new school furniture is needed. The city has secured as superintendent Miss Mary S. Snow whose ability and experience make her a valuable acquisition. The schools already show the benefit of her able superintendence. The agent has given careful attention to the repairs on the school houses and especially to keeping them in good sanitary condition.

The appropriation was	$41,350.00
Mill tax	10,368 00
From other sources	431.20
Total,	$52,149.80
There was expended	52,764.20
Overdrawn,	$ 615.40

The appropriation for free Text Books was $8,199.70. Amount expended was $8,220.00. The sum needed for this purpose for the current year will not exceed $2,000. There are 92 teachers, 74 school rooms occupied, 23 school houses in the city proper and 13 in the suburbs.

In making an appropriation for the schools, while we should exercise all due economy, it is well to consider that in them is being formed the men and women of the future. In the education of the children money wisely and prudently used is well spent.

STREETS.

For a detailed account of the work done in this department I refer you to the report of the street commissioner. The work on the streets has been well planned and carefully supervised, and already demonstrates that, in this department, true economy lies, not in spending the smallest possible amount, but in using labor and material with good judgment, and making all repairs with a view to permanence and durability. I refer you to his recommendations and hope the same enlighted policy will continue to govern the work in this department. I would suggest that the usual amount be expended in paving, selecting the street or streets where it is most needed. Accidents are of frequent occurrence occasioned by runaway horses. They might be averted to some extent by an ordinance regulating the appearance in the streets of bands of music.

SEWERS.

The question of sewerage is a very important one in its relation to health and disease.

Our city has already more than 21 miles of sewers and you will see by the report that others are needed. I am in favor of as liberal an appropriation for this purpose as can be made consistently with due consideration to other demands upon the treasury. Only those portions of the city having sewer accommodations can be supplied with the Holly water.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

This department is reported by the Chief Engineer to be in excellent condition. Its members are prompt and active, and well deserve the thanks of our property holders. There have been 55 calls entailing a loss of $18,195. The chief recommends the purchase of a new ladder truck, the one now in use being nearly worthless, and advises the purchase of one thousand feet of hose. The appropriation was $18,000. The expenditures $19,873 39. The amount overdrawn was $1,873.39 which is satisfactorily accounted for in his report.

WATER WORKS.

The water works are in perfect condition and are rapidly approaching the point where they will be self-supporting. The amount charged for water last year was $32,119.15, the amount collected was $31,937.98, leaving uncollected $181.19, a very small loss.

I wish to call your attention to the fact that there is but one water main from the pumping station to Pearl street, and in the event of accident to this single main the city would be left without water and with no protection in case of fire. Owing to the great and unnecessary waste of water residents on the heights on the west side find the supply at times insufficient. Stringent measures must be taken to prevent this waste. Every gallon of water

force that some of the outlying streets may be more carefully looked after.

PAUPER DEPARTMENT.

This department is well managed in every respect. The alms house is kept in excellent condition, the inmates are properly cared for, and the farm kept in a high state of cultivation. A more detailed account of this institution will be found in the overseers' report.

HEALTH.

In regard to the report of the Board of Health, I cannot do better than to most earnestly recommend to you, and to every citizen, a careful perusal of its contents, and a hearty cooperation in the sanitary measures proposed.

CITY PHYSICIAN.

The city physician reports the sanitary condition of our poor has been better than for several years, there having been but few cases of contagious disease. He suggests that the hospital accommodations at the poor farm might be improved at no great expense.

CITY SOLICITOR.

The report of this officer gives a detailed statement of the status of all legal matters to which the city is a party. There are numerous cases, and I feel confident that each has been, or will be, ably conducted.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

This department has been placed in charge of the Water Board and everything connected with it is running in perfect order.

CITY ENGINEER.

The report of the City Engineer contains a record of the surveys and civil engineering required by the city. This work is of importance and his ability and accuracy are to be commended.

HARBOR MASTER.

The Harbor Master's report shows the number of arrivals and clearances and gives a detailed statement of the imports.

CITY AGENT.

The report of the City Agent shows that the purchases have amounted to $10,455.81. The amount paid into the City Treasury was $11,[illegible], and the profits $2,453 81.

WARD LINES.

The charter provides, "that it shall be the duty of the city council once in ten years, or oftener, to revise, and if needful, to alter, such wards, in such manner as to preserve, as nearly as may be, an equal number of voters in each." The last revision was [illegible] such [illegible] that the preceding city council [illegible] it almost at its first sitting. They [illegible] now as nearly equal in population as [illegible] can well be without running through private residences as was done in 1877. There has been no demand for a revision and none is needed.

PUBLIC PARKS.

We have parks which should be an ornament to the city, a source of pleasure and just pride to our citizens, and a place for healthful recreation for our children. The last city council provided for the election of three park commissioners, who shall have charge of the public grounds and who shall expend all sums appropriated for their improvement. Under their care and management it is hoped that they will soon become what they were intended to be.

RAILROADS.

The Piscataquis Railroad has gone through the various vicissitudes incident to most roads. It was built to extend and increase the business of this locality.

The directors' report soon to be published will show an increase in the number of passengers and amount of freight carried, but owing to the competition of the Dexter & Dover road the gross earnings have been less than the previous year. The interest on the bonded debt of which the city is liable, is $58,750, has been paid into the city treasury $42,000 leaving an unpaid balance of $16,750 to be provided for.

The earnest desire of our people for a direct line of railway into Aroostook county may be realized. I have not been made acquainted with the plans of the gentlemen who have the enterprise in charge.

If with the aid which Aroostook county proposes to give they can build this line, use the Piscataquis road as a link, extend the line to Bangor and provide terminal facilities a wide and fertile region of great natural resources will be opened whose trade would naturally centre here. While this would be of advantage to Aroostook it would greatly advance the material interests of Bangor and relieve her without loss of a property which up to this time has not in a financial point of view justified the hopes of its builders.

A road to Castine is also projected which if built would benefit the city and give us additional water communication in winter. The proposed line known as the Penobscot Central aims to establish railway communication with several towns which desire this convenience.

CONCLUSION.

Our predecessors were eminently successful in the financial exhibit which they make upon retiring. We cannot expect to do better, we can try to do as well, therefore let me urge upon you strict economy in our appropriations and let us be sure that all money is wisely expended. We are not here to represent any party or listen to any faction, but to represent the well understood wishes of our citizens and to conduct our municipal affairs in a business like manner, appointing and electing all subordinate officers with a view to obtaining the best possible service in each department.

JOSEPH F. SNOW.

(Continued on Third Page.)

Dyspepsia

Makes the lives of many people miserable, causing distress after eating, sour stomach, sick headache, heartburn, loss of appetite, a faint, "all gone" feeling, bad taste, coated tongue, and irregularity of the bowels. Dyspepsia does not get well of itself. It requires careful attention, and a remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which acts gently, yet efficiently. It tones the stomach, regulates the digestion, creates a good appetite, banishes headache, and refreshes the mind.

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Sick Headache

Heart-burn

Sour Stomach

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TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 1891.

The Sister Cities.

Monday was inauguration day in Bangor and Brewer and THE WHIG this morning contains the address of the two Mayors. They are, of course, principally confined to a review of the past year and are business like documents that will be read with interest.

One point touched upon by both Mayors was the largely increased valuation of the two cities as reported by the Commission. There is a manifest injustice in this increase, the basis of which does not seem clear as was shown by the communication published in THE WHIG several days ago. At the meeting of the Bangor City Council an order was passed authorizing the Mayor to present a memorial asking for a hearing pending legislative action on the report of the Commission. The unjust discrimination against this section should be rectified before the report is accepted.

In the Common Council Charles I. York Esq., was unanimously elected President. Mr. York will make an able and impartial presiding officer.

That Solid Democratic Vote.

The *Kennebec Journal* insists that the ballot controversy is not a partisan question, and in taking that position it places itself in line with the New York *Evening Post* the most contemptible as well as the most dishonest Democratic sheet in the country. For some years past the *Post* has done nothing but slander prominent Republicans as well as Republican principles, doing everything in its power to injure the party in the interest of free trade Democracy. Now we find this delectable sheet urging the importance of the passage of the Australian ballot law in Maine as a Republican measure, and assailing those Republicans who are opposed to this legislation with the choice epithets it keeps in type for general use when referring to the party. If this is not a partisan question why is the *Post* interesting itself in the controversy? Any one familiar with the record of that nasty sheet will not for a moment entertain the thought that it is advocating the passage of this bill because anxious to promote the success of the Republican party. Far from it. The *Post* Mass. this change because it is in hopes that the Democratic party will reap some advantage from it. The effect of the law has been to deter voters from going to the polls and the majority party is bound to suffer most from this stay at home vote.

This was true of both New York and Massachusetts. In the former State the Republicans lost a United States Senator and in the latter the Governor and Congressional delegation. This is also the reason why the solid Democratic vote in the Legislature is in favor of the bill. There is no sense in the declaration that this is not a partisan question when forty Democrats, a number exceeding the entire Republican support of the bill in the House, not only votes solidly for the measure as instructed by the party caucus but are working early and late to secure its passage. Is there anything in the record of the Democratic party to lead one to believe that its present course is governed by a desire to purify the ballot? Read the answer from that disgraceful chapter of Maine's history when the same party planned the shameful conspiracy to steal the State Government. They stand with a solid front on this question because they believe the enactment of this law will yield them a partisan advantage. Why, then, should not the Republicans stand together as a party?

It is true that this move has been labelled "reform," a phrase cunningly caught up by the Democrats, but we contend that it is just the reverse of reform. There is not a single election abuse that will not flourish just as readily under the secret ballot law. This has proved true in Massachusetts where the law was violated in a way that aided the heeler very materially in his work of corrupting the voter, and the recent elections in Canada afforded striking evidence of the same fact. It is not reform because in effect it drags the great majority of voters who are honest down to the level of the few who are dishonest instead of lifting the dishonest men up to a higher standard. It enables men to do in secret what they would hesitate to do in public and thus offers a premium upon dishonesty at the polls. The cry of reform is used simply to mislead the people, an effort as we have said that is ably seconded by the Democrats.

We do not know what the action of the Senate will be on this measure, but we hope the members of that body will place themselves in line with the overwhelming majority of the Republicans in the House, a course that will be warmly sustained by the Republicans of the State.

The Work of Congress.

AN UNUSUAL NUMBER OF IMPORTANT MEASURES WERE PASSED.—ADMISSIONS OF A DEMOCRATIC ORGAN.

(Washington Post.)

At noon yesterday the Fifty-first Congress, in the opinion of many veteran legislators the most remarkable Congress since the war, came to an end by constitutional limitation. From first to last the sessions were interesting and eventful, and for no long period were they ever characterized by the dullness which occasionally for days at a time marks the proceedings of nearly every Congress, and especially of those Congresses in which the first session is unusually prolonged. The actual working time of the Fifty-first Congress exceeded that of any of its predecessors and the nominal working time of all except the Fiftieth Congress, and in the number of measures brought to its attention and the number, variety and importance of those acted on it likewise surpassed all previous Congresses.

This "working" or "business" feature was perhaps the most distinguished characteristic of the Fifty-first Congress. It seems the more remarkable when the magnitude, character, and long pendency of many of the topics considered are taken into account. Three measures, any of which in intrinsic importance and popular interests would be sufficient for a national issue, stand forth pre-eminent among all others. First, the McKinley tariff bill, which became a law; second, the silver bill, on which, in the first session, a compromise was effected based on monthly purchases of 4,500,000 ounces of silver, which in turn, was followed by a more radical measure that failed of passage; and third, the Federal elections bill, which, after a protracted, bitter, hotly-fought, and intensely exciting preliminary struggle, failed in the Senate to reach a decisive vote on its merits.

Radical innovations in the rules of the ...

mand respect. The Republican members, it is true have not always shown political sagacity in framing their policy. They made a serious mistake in gauging public opinion, when they insisted upon the passage of the Lodge bill. They would have shown better judgment if they had arrayed themselves against the free silver mania last winter as firmly as most of them have done in this session. They would have been in closer accord with their constituents and with most of the intelligent soldiers of the war of the Union if they had been less bountiful in satisfying the demands for pensions. But after we make full allowance for their errors, the balance to their credit is an ample one.

The enactment of the McKinley tariff, despite the tremendous opposition which it excited, is a measure of protection which is every day beginning to be more and more justified by events and which will continue to grow stronger. The immigration act, the anti-lottery act, the land grant forfeiture act, the World's Fair act, the anti-trust act, the original package act, the copyright act, the meat inspection act, the act for the relief of the Supreme Court, the apportionment act, and the postal subsidy act are some of the laws of national import that have been placed upon the statute books with the general approval of the country and which, together with many more of less prominence that might be cited, show that this Congress has done more real business than any of its immediate predecessors.

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Cash in company's principal office and in bank	388,711 63
Interest due and accrued	18,059 25
Premiums in due course of collection	758,861 81
Aggregate of all the admitted assets of the company at their actual value	$5,311,335 81

LIABILITIES, DEC. 31, 1890.

Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	$173,560 10
Amount required to safely re-insure all outstanding risks	3,243,416 13
All other demands against the company, viz: commissions, etc.	240,655 19
Total amount of liabilities, except capital stock and net surplus	3,657,631 42
Capital actually paid up in cash	1,000,000 00
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VICTOR BRETT, City Clerk.

Bangor, March 5th, 1891.

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Marine Journal.

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SAN FRANCISCO. Ar 13th, ship Florence, Duncan, Baltimore.

NEWCASTLE, Del. Sld 13th, sch S M Bird, Matanzas for New York.

NEW HAVEN. Cld 12th, sch William M Bird, Barrett, Salem; Caroline Hall, Moore, Moorehead, City

NORFOLK, Va. Ar 13th, sch Henry Parker, New York; Fannie Stewart, do.

DUTCH ISLAND HARBOR. Ar 13th, schs A Heaton, Snow, and Wide Awake, Haddock, Rockland for New York; George B Ferguson, Ferguson, Belfast for Philadelphia.

CAPE HENRY. Off 11th, sch Edith Berwind, McBride, from Cardenas.

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Ar at Havana, March 12th, sch Gertrude Abbott, Cobb, Philadelphia.

Ar at Genoa, Feb. 20th, bark Jennie Harkness, Amesbury, Sydney, NSW.

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Prime Mercantile paper 5a7.

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Ches. & Ohio	17⅞	Pullman Palace	000
Chicago Alton	124	Reading	000
" preferred	165	Rock Island	67½
Chic. Bur. & Quincy	79½	St Louis & San Fran	00
Del. Hudson	133	Preferred	000
Del Lack	134½	1st preferred	00
Den. & Rio Grande	15½	St. Paul	56½
Erie	19⅞	Preferred	113¾
" preferred	52	St Paul Minn & Man.	107
Ills. Central	94	St. Paul & Omaha	13
Ind. Bloom & Westn	000	Preferred	78
Lake Erie & Westn	13⅞	Texas Pacific	14½
Lake Shore	110½	Union Pacific	45⅞
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Mo. Pacific	67⅞	4s reg	121
N. J. Cent	115½	4s Coup	122
Northern Pac	27½	4½s reg	102
Preferred	72	4½s coup	102
Northwestern	105½	Cent. Pac. 1sts	108
Preferred	133	Den. & Rio G. 1sts	000
N. Y. Cent	102	Erie Seconds	99½
N. Y. Chic. & St. L.	13½	Kan. Pac. Consols	110⅞
Preferred	65½	Oregon Nav. 1sts	107
Ohio & Miss	17½	Union Firsts	000

List of Letters

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Cote, Monsieur Louis	Parker, Horsed L
Coloney, William T	Pettengill, Lester
Derolt, Bansfield	Parnell, Newton
Dermott, George	Prescott, G W
Durgan, Frank	Ripley, O B
Dunn, Patrick	Shaw, John O
Elden, Geo	Stevens, Alonzo
Ellis, John J, 2	Shepard, W A Jr
Fisk & Co, Fred	Seavey, Austin E
Hennesy, Jas C	Stetson, Geo F
Huckins, J B	Wilcox, W O
Hunt, Henry J	Woodward, W C
Jarvis, master Eddie B	

LADIES' LIST.

Brastow, mrs Mary E	Paulsson, miss Anna
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Eary, miss Eramer	Ramsberg, mrs
Emeg, mrs Benny	Blog, mrs Ada
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—ALSO—

At 2.30 o'clock of same day, will sell a portion of the household Furniture.

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Black Cheviot Sack and Frock Suits.

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Executed in the Highest Style of the Art.

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Good Nice Oranges Only 25 Cents a Dozen.

Also 6 Pounds of the Best Sweet Potatoes

ONLY 25 CENTS,

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—OF—

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—ALSO—

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Commissioners' Notice.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Mar. 9, A. D. 1891.

We, the undersigned, having been duly appointed by the Honorable James H. Burgess, Judge of Probate for said County, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims of the creditors of BENJAMIN W. BLANCHARD, late of Carroll, in said County, deceased, whose estate has been represented insolvent, hereby give public notice agreeably to the Order of the said Judge of Probate that three months from and after the last Tuesday in February, 1891, have been allowed to said creditors to present and prove their claims; and that we will attend to the service assigned us, at the office of Matthew Laughlin in Bangor, in said county, on Thursday, the 26th day of March, 1891, and on Tuesday, the 21st day of April, 1891, at 2 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

The undersigned ...

Entertainments.

New Illustrated Lecture,

—ON—

GERMANY,

—BY—

Rev. H. L. GRIFFIN,

—IN—

HAMMOND STREET CHURCH,

Friday Evening, March 20, 8 P. M.

Tickets 50 cents; children half price.

For sale at Chas. Hight's.

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M. E. FAIR!

CITY HALL, BREWER,

Thursday and Friday, March 19--20.

Supper from 6 to 8.

Entertainment at 8.

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March 19, 1891.

Bangor High School, JUNIOR CLASS

ENTERTAINMENT

—OF—

Scenes from Shakespeare,

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DANCING AT 9.30.

Doors open at 7 o'clock; commence at 7.45 SHARP.

Admission 50 cents (including dancing.)

Tickets on sale at Bugbee's and Glynn's bookstores, Warren's Drug Store and members of the class.

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—AT—

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Under the Auspices of Post 12, G. A. R., In aid of the

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Admission 25 cents. Reserved seats, 35 cents. Children, 15 cents.

Tickets for sale by the members and at the hall.

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ENTERTAINMENT.

In the Universalist Church,

Friday Even'g, March 20.

Mrs. LUCIA MEAD PRIEST,

The Celebrated Elocutionist of Manchester, N. H., will make her first appearance in Bangor. She will give several recitations upon subjects both grave and gay, endeavoring to please all who hear her.

The musical part of the programme will present Don D. Hatch, Geo. C. Goodwin and Miss Bertha Milliken, of this city, and also Mrs. Cora S. Barker of Boston.

Tickets 35 cents. For sale by members and at the door.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Entertainment commences at 8 o'clock.

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MISS NEALLY STEVENS

—WILL GIVE—

Two Piano Recitals

—IN—

CITY HALL,

Tuesday, March 17th.

MATINEE AT 3.

Evening Concert at 8. Doors open at 2.30 and 7.30.

Prices Season Tickets, $1.00; reserved seats, 75 cents; admission, 50 cents.

Matinee—Adults, 50 cents; children, 35 cents.

Sale of seats opens on Wednesday, March 11th, at D. Bugbee & Co.'s, at 9 o'clock.

Those holding advance reserved seats can exchange them on Tuesday, March 10th.

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—EVERY—

WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY Afternoon and Evening.

—AT—

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Wanted, Lost, Found, To Let, Etc

Advertisements under the head of wanted, lost, found, to let, &c., not exceeding four lines, 10 cents each insertion when prepaid. When not prepaid, regular advertising rates will be charged.

LOST. Saturday on the East side, a lady's silk umbrella. Finder please return to 35 State Street, or this office.   2t*   march17

WANTED. A situation by a middle aged lady as nurse and companion to an invalid. Best of references given. Call at No. 132 French St. march17   TuTh2t

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FOR RENT—A pleasant, convenient tenement to right party. Apply at 18 East Summer Street. mch14

WANTED. The citizens of Bangor to know that Mrs. Dr. Johnson, the reliable Clairvoyant Physician and Life Reader, is at No. 29 Ohio Street.   1w*   march12

WANTED. At 50 Broadway, a thoroughly competent girl for general housework, except washing. Apply evenings at 118 Essex street. feb21

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FOR SALE.

The homestead of the late E. C. Baker, situated on Broadway, within two miles of the Post Office. The farm has fine orchard of grafted fruit, dwelling house, carriage house, hen house, barn, sheds and piggery, and is well adapted to any one wanting a small farm near market, schools and churches. The place must be sold to close the estate, and will be sold for its value on favorable terms. For particulars inquire of ...

The Weather Wise "Bangorilla."

expecting six weeks of mud in mad March this year. The W. W. B. will worry through it all dry shod though in a pair of our

Men's Grain Creedmoor Shoes,

the best wet weather footwear made.

19 West Market Square, - - E. J. DAVIS & CO.

The Neptune Water Proof Polish on all footwear exposed to moisture, it's a sure repellent.

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Try them, you will make no mistake.

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Portable Cooking Range

FOR WOOD OR COAL.

The Clarion Ranges have been before the public 16 years and they have grown more popular each year until to-day it stands at the head of all others.

Please read what some of the leading dealers say about this celebrated Range:

Messrs. Dame & Sleeper of Lynn, Mass., say: "We have sold several hundred Clarion Ranges in the past five years and have as yet to find a case where one failed to work satisfactorily. They are splendid bakers. No other Ranges in these parts can hold a candle to it."

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Another remarkable fact is that the good old State of Maine, whose motto is, "We Lead," has produced the best cooking range in the market—this is a point we are proud of.

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AUCTION SALES EVERY SATURDAY at 11 A. M., Commencing February 28th.

Horses boarded from $2.50 to $5.00 per week.

Private turnouts and gentlemen's driving horses will receive superior attention.

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Your cheerful servant,

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Good Gilt Papers at 10 Cents a Roll.

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Spring Term opens TUESDAY, March 17th, and continues fourteen weeks. Four full courses. For further particulars address,

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In any Quantity For Sale at

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Stillwater Log Driving Company.

The driving of logs for the Stillwater Log Driving Company for the ensuing season, will be let at auction to the lowest bidder, at the office of the Treasurer of said Company, on Wednesday, the 18th inst., at 10.30 o'clock A. M., the Directors reserving the right to reject any or all bids made.

Per Order,

T. S. MOOR, Treasurer.

Bangor, March 11th, 1891.   Com copy

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Eastern Maine General Hospital.

STATE OF MAINE.

In the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-One.

An Act to Incorporate a Hospital in the City of Bangor.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section 1. F. A. Wilson, J. F. Snow, A. D. Manson, S. B. Morison, F. H. Appleton, G. F. Godfrey, H. McLaughlin, S. P. Johnson, D. A. Robinson, H. L. Mitchell, F. Inghills, J. S. Wheelwright, R. A. Jordan, Lysander Strickland, George F. Jefferds, Galen M. Woodcock, L. H. Merrill, L. J. Morse, J. M. Blaisdell, I. W. Coombs, A. L. Boyd, N. C. Ayer, C. D. Bryant, M. Giddings, H. P. Oliver, Charles Hight, J. W. Palmer, N. E. Ayer, Amory Battles, George W. Field, C. H. Cutler, George Stetson, W. S. Dennett, A. A. Burr, D. F. Davis, James Adams, Thomas White, J. W. Porter, B. B. Thatcher, Harriet S. Griswold, Caroline S. Wilson, Lucy M. Field, Lucy F. Griffin, Hattie M. Burr, Marianne Hersey, Mrs. T. N. Egery, Charlotte W. Thatcher, Charles E. Hill, J. Y. Ricker, E. B. Nealley, E. F. Duren, N. H. Dillingham, S. B. Gilman, C. C. Prescott, Harry Merrill, Edward Stetson, Henry Rollins, William H. Rollins, M. C. O'Brien, W. E. Fellows, their associates and successors are hereby incorporated and made a body politic by the name of the EASTERN MAINE GENERAL HOSPITAL, and by that name may sue and be sued, and may have a common seal, and shall have all the immunities and privileges, and be subject to all the liabilities of like corporations, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a hospital in the city of Bangor, or the reception and treatment of persons, who may need medical and surgical attendance during temporary sickness or injury.

Section 2. The said corporation shall have the power to make and establish such by-laws and regulations as may be necessary for the choice of all proper officers, to prescribe their duties and powers, and to provide generally for the internal government of the hospital, such by-laws and regulations, not being repugnant to the constitution and laws of this State.

Section 3. Said Corporation may receive and hold real and personal estate to any amount which may from time to time be given, granted, bequeathed or devised to it, and accepted by the corporation for the uses and purposes of said hospital, provided always that both the principal and income thereof shall be appropriated according to the terms of the donation, devise or bequest.

Section 4. The Corporation shall consist of the aforesaid incorporators, and of such persons as may, at any legal meeting of the Corporation, be elected members by ballot.

Section 5. The said general hospital shall be under the direction and management of nine trustees, who shall be chosen annually, and shall remain in office until others are chosen and qualified in their stead. Six of said trustees shall be chosen by said corporation, and all vacancies occurring in that part of the board shall be filled by said corporation, and three of the trustees shall be chosen and all vacancies in that part of the board shall be filled by the board of visitors, hereinafter provided.

Section 6. The Governor of the State, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives for the time being, shall be a board of visitors of said hospital, with authority to visit the same annually, and as much oftener as they may think proper, to inspect the establishment and the actual condition of the sick, to examine the by-laws and regulations of the corporation, and generally to see that the design of the institution is carried into effect.

Section 7. The said Corporation is authorized to establish a training school for nurses, and to issue diplomas as shall be fit and proper.

Section 8. This Act shall take effect when approved.

In House of Representatives, March 12, 1891.

This bill having had three several readings, passed to be enacted.

ANDREW P. WISWELL, Speaker.

In Senate, March 13, 1891.

This bill having had two several readings, passed to be enacted.

CHARLES F. LIBBY, President.

March 13, 1891.

Approved.

EDWIN C. BURLEIGH, Governor.

To the persons named as Corporators in the foregoing Act of Incorporation of the Eastern Maine General Hospital, which Act is made part of this notice:

You are hereby notified that the first meeting of the said Corporators for the purpose of accepting the Act, electing associates, adopting by-laws and regulations, electing officers, and transacting any other business that may be proper and necessary to transact, will be held at the Common Council Room in the City Hall, in the City of Bangor, County of Penobscot, State of Maine, on Tuesday, the twenty-fourth day of March inst., at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

This notice is given in accordance with the Statutes in such case made and provided.

F. A. WILSON,

One of the persons named in the Act of Incorporation.

Bangor, March 10th, 1891.   5t

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Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation, etc.

I think J. C. Barrett's Gastrine is the best remedy for Dyspepsia I ever saw, one trial being great benefit to me.

F. I. VEAZIE, Bangor, Me.

December 29, 1890.

J. C. BARRETT & CO.

Gents —Your wonderful remedy, Gastrine, has proven a great boon to me. Whereas, before using it I could not enjoy my food, I now am using it have been able to enjoy my meals without being distressed. Yours, etc.,

DON D. HATCH, Bangor, Me.

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Richardson & Robbins' SUGAR & SYRUP PEACHES,

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85 Cents a Can,

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TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 1891.

FOR ADDITIONAL DISPATCHES SEE FIRST PAGE.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

MAINE LEGISLATURE.

Only Routine Business Transacted Monday.

Reform School Teaching and the Liquor Law.

AUGUSTA, March 16. A short session of the Legislature was held this afternoon, routine business only being transacted.

The Reform School Committee hearing this evening on religious instruction in the Reform School was lengthy and spirited. Statements were made by W. W. Bolster for the trustees and by Rev. Dr. Whittaker of Portland, for six hundred and seventy thousand Protestants of Maine, against allowing Catholics other privilliges in the school than are now allowed Protestants.

Messrs. Chadbourne, of Biddeford, and Callahan of Lewiston, advocated the bill admitting priests to the full exercise of church rites. A lengthy discussion ensued before the committee.

The Committee on Temperance held a hearing on the liquor law and amended the bill in regard to the appointment of agents in towns and cities by the government. It strikes out "hard labor" in the punishment clauses and makes search and seizure on a person the same as a place.

PORTLAND ELECTION.

True, Republican, Elected—Largest Vote Ever Polled.

PORTLAND, March 16. The second election for Mayor to-day brought out the largest vote ever polled in this city

True, Republican, was elected, having a majority over all. True's vote was ...00, Ingraham, Democrat, 3,259; Deering, Prohibition, 110, scattering 1.

FROM BOOTHBAY HARBOR

Schooner will be a Total Loss.

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, March 16. The schooner Augustus J. Fabens, Tupper, master, lime loaded, Rockland for Virginia, went ashore on Green Point last night at 11 o'clock. She took fire and the vessel and cargo of twenty-eight hundred barrels will be a total loss. The crew had no time to save anything or to strip the vessel. A heavy sea was running and the chance for saving anything was small.

FROM LEWISTON

The New City Government Organized

LEWISTON, March 16. The Lewiston City Government organized to-day by the choice of F. X. Belleau as clerk, Seth D. Wakefield treasurer, James Doyle assessor, H. P. Estes street commissioner. Mayor Newell's address shows the net indebtedness of the city to be $916,247.59. The water works and railroad stock are both paying investments.

FROM BIDDEFORD

Col. Rich Passed Away

BIDDEFORD, March 16. Col. Richworth Rich, Colonel of the Ninth Maine Regiment in the war died at his home in Old Orchard last night, aged fifty-five. He was a native of Portland and was a former Captain of the Portland Light Infantry. He since was engaged in business in South Carolina, Baltimore and Boston. He leaves a widow and two sons.

RESULTED FATALLY.

Aged Man Killed by a Fall.

ROCKLAND, March 16. Bradford Butler, aged sixty-eight years, died yesterday from the effects of a fall from a scaffold in his barn

FROM AUBURN

City Government Organized

AUBURN, March 16. The City Government organized to-day. The election of officers was postponed to Wednesday. Mayor Savage's address shows the entire indebtedness of the city to be $193,549 77, a slight increase over last year in consequence of special expenditures

FROM CAMDEN.

Town Meeting of the New Town

CAMDEN, March 16. A town meeting of the new town of Camden was held to-day at Megunticook Hall and resulted in the election of the following officers: For Board of Selectmen, Thomas A. Hunt, Orris B. Wooster, Rodney Beverage, for Assessors, J. W. Ogier, M. C. Whitmore, Charles Murphy. The matter of voting aid for the Knox and Lincoln Railway to construct a road to Camden was laid on the table to an adjourned meeting to be held April 6th

SUDDEN DEATH

From Heart Disease in Rockland.

ROCKLAND, March 16. The wife of Captain James T. Whitmore died suddenly to-day after returning from a walk. It is supposed heart disease was the cause. She leaves a husband and three children.

WILL BE TOTAL WRECKS.

Triana and Galena Rapidly Going to Pieces.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., March 16. The revenue cutter Dexter arrived in port today with the crew of the wrecked tug Triana, who took the train for Newport.

The Triana is fast breaking up in the heavy sea rolling in from the southwest. The bow of the vessel has settled over the edge of the ledge and the seas are making sad havoc with the house on deck.

The gale is increasing and no doubt the tug will be a total wreck.

People think if the gale increases the Galena will go to pieces in a few hours.

FROM WASHINGTON.

News About the Capitol.

In Favor of Massachusetts.

WASHINGTON, March 16. The Supreme Court to-day affirmed the judgment of the lower court in favor of the State of Massachusetts for the suit brought against the commonwealth by Arthur Manchester, the case involving the question of jurisdiction of the State over the waters of Buzzard's Bay.

Policy Endorsed.

A committee representing the Boston Boot and Shoe Club and New England Shoe and Leather Association, waited on the President and Secretary Blaine to-day and presented resolutions adopted by both organizations endorsing the administration reciprocity policy and urging its extension

VARYING OPINIONS

From Foreign Sources of the New Orleans Lynching.

Italians in All Parts of America Hold Excited Meetings.

Government Will Take No Further Action at Present.

Meanwhile All Is Quiet and Peaceful in New Orleans.

ROME, March 16. The Romano, referring to the New Orleans tragedy, says: "Relying on the foresight of the American authorities, and out of regard for a sincerely friendly power, Italy has refrained from sending an iron clad to the mouth of the Mississippi."

The Capitan Fracasse says: "The weak in America are at the mercy of a ferocious, bloody populace and are tortured and murdered in daylight."

New Explanation of the Tragedy.

DENVER, Col., March 16. J. H. Moore, ex-lieutenant of the New Orleans police, gives a statement of the causes leading to the killing of Chief of Police Hennessy, which throws an entirely new light on the matter.

He says that while the Mafia may have had something to do with the murder he has strong reason to believe that they were nothing more than hired assassins.

He ascribes the trouble to an old feud between the detectives of the city, which

Had its Foundation

in the times of the famous whiskey and sugar rings excitement of 20 years ago, when several men lost their lives

The same bitter fight he says was the cause of the killing of the elder Hennessy by Guerrin in 1872.

The murder of Chief Hennessy, he has no doubt, was due to the old detective feud, which for years was the main issue in local politics.

It was simply a quarrel over the spoils, which were richer perhaps than ever before.

Foreign Indignant Comments.

LONDON, March 16. The News, commenting on the lynching of the Italians in New Orleans says: Italy's indignation is shared by the whole civilized world. In nearly all such cases in America the disease corruption is at the root of the evil.

The Americans are at once the most patient and the most impatient people in the world. When they have grown tired of any grievance they move to their revenge with the swiftness of the hawk. The people of New Orleans could have soon discovered which of the jurymen in the Italian trial had ... the murderers gold and it would be better to keep the jail intact for them.

The Post says that Saturday's occurrence in New Orleans will form a deplorable page in American history.

Admire American Self Restraint

LONDON, March 16. The Star this evening is of the opinion that the impressive feature of the New Orleans affair was the perfect orderliness maintained throughout the proceedings. The champions of law and order stand aghast at such proceedings. The American democracy has sounder notions as to what law and order really means.

The Act Defended

Mr. Moreton Frewen, son-in-law of the late Mr. Leonard Jerome, has written a letter which is published in the Pall Mall Gazette to-day defending the action of the citizens of New Orleans as a straightening out of the Italian question once for all and he adds that he leaves the old women of both sexes to moralize over the so called excesses of the bloodstained populace, etc. Mr. Frewen also commends the action of the men on the Mississippi, who are not spoiled by the spirit of submission to the letter of the law which has done so much to emasculate the human race.

Quiet in New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, March 16. This city is as quiet as ever, with not a particle of excitement and everybody is attending to business as usual.

Italians Urged to be Calm

WASHINGTON, March 16. During the first excitement among the Italian residents of the United States Baron Fava yesterday sent to the Italian Consul General at New York the following telegram.

"I learn from the papers that excitement is prevailing in the Italian colony on account of New Orleans events. I have to resort to your influence and authority to urge upon the Italians of New York that they should be dignified, calm, of strictly legal behaviour and show themselves in these circumstances worthy of their civilized country. Relying upon your incontestable authority as well as on the patriotic feelings of the colony, I am sanguine this advice will be followed.

(Signed) FAVA.
Italian Minister.

It is understood similar instructions were sent by Baron Fava to all Italian consuls in the United States in order to calm and avert by this means to the fullest possible extent all undue excitement.

Regrets to Italy.

ROME, March 16. In the Chamber of Deputies Marquis De Rudini, Italian Premier, replying to a question on the subject of the New Orleans tragedy, said President Harrison recognized the rights of the Italians in the United States to protection from the authorities and that he had expressed profound regret at the occurrence. He had charged the Governor of Louisiana to guard Italian residents in New Orleans and bring the assassins to justice.

The Premier added that Hon. A. G. Porter, United States minister here, called upon him to-day to convey President Harrison's regrets to the Italian government. Mr. Porter said he trusted the explanations he had furnished would draw even closer the friendly relations existing between Italy and the United States.

Signor Breganze, who had announced his intention of interpolating the Government on the New Orleans matter said note had been taken of the minister's statement.

Signor Ferrais urged that indemnities be demanded for the families of the victims.

Chicago Italians Excited.

CHICAGO, March 16. La Italia, a local Italian paper, issued an extra edition today largely devoted to editorials denouncing the perpetrators of the New Orleans affair and calling for retribution. Among other bitter things it said: "To-day the citizens of New Orleans are consigned to infamy by all the world and they will be compelled to give satisfaction for this assassination. The hideous crime that today stains the city of New Orleans will take more than all the waters of the Mississippi to wash away. A curse upon the people of Louisiana; may they and their descendants suffer a thousand deaths and a thousand times feel the sorrow that today afflicts the widowed wives, their sisters and their children. An unworthy government, a still more unworthy municipality, unworthy police and Governor, all those mixed up in this affair have covered with approbium the places where justice was supposed to be administered."

Excitement and Indignation

aroused by the slaying of New Orleans suspects seems to increase rather than diminish among the Italians of this city. A committee appointed last night to take charge of the matter of expressing local sentiment, decided to call a mass meeting at Battery.

The demands for satisfaction formulated by the Italians in charge of the local movement, are money reparations for the families of victims, that the ring leaders of the mob be taken to Washington and tried for the crime.

It is the intention to demand that the State and city officials, under whose rule the affair occurred, be held responsible and be punished with those who actually participated in the killing.

An Object of Enmity.

NEW ORLEANS, March 16. In Father Manoritta's statement yesterday he said he was sure the letter he received was from the Provenzano faction of the Mafia. This statement Joseph Provenzano this morning most emphatically denied. He said he had not been connected with the Mafia in any manner; on the contrary he had been the object of their enmity.

"About five years ago," said he, "the Mafia sent me several letters threatening to kill me and my brother unless we gave the society $1,000. We did not respond. Jim Caruso shortly afterwards came to me tired of the Mafia, having recently been selected on the committee to kill some one.

"I told Caruso he must swear he would have nothing more to do with the Mafia before I gave him work. I went with him to the Italian church and he

Knelt Before the Altar

and took the obligation. He said Charlie Matranga was chief of the gang and presided at the meetings robed in a black domino suit. He said Rocco Gracol was also a leader. Caruso said he only attended one meeting. As he went up Matranga held up a skull in his left hand and a dirk in his right and he then was sworn with uplifted hands to abide by the decision of the order.

"He said he was informed after taking the obligation that the object was to kill those against the Mafia gang. The way it was done was to select the victim and invite him to dinner and afterwards do him up. I told Caruso I wanted none of the

Mafia People

in our employ. Caruso pointed out eight or nine men who he said belonged to the society and I discharged them. Caruso worked for us about two years and nothing more was said about the mafia. He finally left us and went with Matranga. I do not knew whether John Caruso belonged to it or not. His brother never told me he did."

Mr. Provenzara says Politza was working for him when Caruso was given employment. He was one of the men pointed out by Caruso as belonging to the mafia and was discharged. Sinceri was discharged for belonging to the mafia.

Provenzano says Caruso advised him to discharge the men one at a time in order

To Avoid Trouble

and this he did. When asked for a reason for dismissal he refused to give any as he wanted to protect caruso. Notwithstanding his oath and professions Caruso finally went back with Matranga and did what he could against him (Provenzano.) He thinks this was accomplished through intimidation as Caruso was afraid of being killed by his former associates.

The better element of the Italians is glad there is an end of the Mafia, as they have been in dread for years of those recently come here or the bad element and denounce the action taken Saturday

Regarding the "flag incident," Provenzano stated when the

Verdict was Returned

two men belonging to the gang, one named Seprile, the other a brother-in-law of Caruso, Ramone by name, went to the flag pole with the American and Italian flag. Seprile put his foot on the American flag and hoisted the Italian flag.

The American flag was then taken up and put under it, the good Italians standing around when the Italian flag was put up.

When questioned as to why they permitted it, he said they feared the gang would get free and cause them trouble.

The flag pole on the levee is at the foot of Wisuline's reet and is used for signaling vessels.

Some Excuse For It, Surely

ROME, March 16. Don Chiscicotte Della Mancia says Italy ought to demand that ... measures be taken to protect the Italian colony in New Orleans, adding, however, that it is just also to recognize the fact that similar incidents would not occur if the towns on the Atlantic littoral were not infested with the ex galley slaves of Europe.

ONLY TWO SAVED.

Steamer Sunk in Collision and 22 Lives Lost.

The Accident Occurred Near the Scilly Islands.

LONDON, March 16. The steamer Roxburgh Castle was sunk by collision with the ship British Peer, 120 miles southwest of the Scilly Islands.

Of the twenty-four persons on the steamer, Capt. Tyrer and a seaman were all that were saved.

The Roxburgh Castle was a screw steamer of 1222 tons register and hailed from Newcastle, England.

The British Peer was bound from Calcutta to London and was greatly damaged. She was towed to Falmouth.

A VILLAGE FIRE SWEPT.

Families Rendered Homeless and Some People Burned.

Much Suffering Results in the Cold Weather.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., March 16. Fire broke out in the village of Highland, opposite this city, shortly after ten to-night and threatens to destroy the entire place. The village has no fire apparatus and engines were sent from here.

The fire at this hour, 1.20 A. M., is still burning freely. It started in Upshirt's Hotel.

Clarence Ellis, five years old, was found suffocated in Moses Daley's store.

It is reported that several other

Persons were Burned.

The postoffice, Western Union telegraph office, Town Clerk's office, Town Hall, Carpenter's law office and Odd Fellows' Hall are among the places burned.

At least fifty families are homeless and many women and children were forced into the street clad only in their night clothes.

The weather being cold there is much suffering.

COLORADO.

Denver Saloons Closed Sunday

DENVER, March 16. Every saloon in this city was closed yesterday. No liquor was sold except in restaurants with meals.

REPORTER KINGSTON'S CASE

Continued to Friday.—The Policeman Will Come Next.

BOSTON, March 16. The case of Samuel S. Kingdon, the Transcript reporter, who was summoned into the Municipal Court this morning on charge of disturbing the funeral services of Bishop Paddock at Trinity church last Thurday afternoon, was continued to Friday, owing to the rush of business in court and the fact that his counsel desired to summon several more witnesses.

Several persons who were about the church door at the time Kingdon was refused admittance and then arrested, have volunteered to testify in his behalf.

A COLD BLAST.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, March 16, 8 P. M.

Indications

For the next twenty-four hours for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Fair, except clearing in Maine; colder, northwesterly gales diminishing in force.

Cautionary signals displayed at New York City, New Haven, New London and Newport section.

Storm signals displayed from Sandy Hook to Narragansett section, and from Wood's Holl section to Eastport.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Dead This Time.

LONDON, March 16. Sir Joseph Bazalgette, C. B., the eminent English engineer, who has been ill some time, and who was once before reported dead, died to-day.

Ice was running yesterday in the river between Great Works and Veazie, there being open water between those points. At that point it looked very much like an early spring and departure of the ice, but further down and opposite this city there are but few signs of weakening and unless there should be some unusually warm weather or rains it is probable that the ice will not leave any earlier than is customary. The time has nearly arrived for the bets of hats, etc., on the departure of the ice, and a few have already been made, but no great hopes have as yet been raised.

LOCAL MATTERS

Special Rates.

For special rates for THE WHIG during the session of the Legislature apply at this office.

Easter Sunday comes a week from next Sunday.

A fishing party of Bangor men left yesterday for Moosehead Lake to try for trout.

The Bangor members of the Legislature returned to Augusta yesterday, after a short visit to their homes.

Monday, April 6th, the Grand Army Posts all over the country will celebrate the silver anniversary of the order.

There will be an entertainment and antiquarian supper at West Bangor chapel this evening at 7 30 o'clock. The public are invited.

There was a fair attendance at the sale of pews at the Hammond street church last evening and the sum realized was very satisfactory.

At the gospel service this evening Miss Henry will assist in the singing. Rev. T. E. Busfield will preach a short sermon. An interesting service was held last evening.

Last Sunday noon the dwelling house of Mr. Asa Sawyer, of Orono, was damaged several hundred dollars by fire and water, writes our Orono correspondent. The property was insured.

Colds are quite prevalent at the present time. Many are doubtless due to the fact that the warmer weather recently lead people to believe that summer had come, and off came the winter clothing with disastrous results.

Mr. James M. Treadwell, who died in this city Sunday, had been foreman for M. Schwartz' Sons at their saw manufactory for many years and he was a good citizen. The remains will be taken to Aurora Wednesday for burial.

A meeting of the Penobscot County Medical Association will be held this evening at eight o'clock at the Common Council room, and several interesting and instructive papers will be read. There will doubtless be a large attendance.

The ice jam at Veazie yesterday caused the working of the electric station to be curtailed, and owing to a lack of power the street cars did not run, while the lights were considerably effected. It is hoped that the difficulty may be overcome at once.

Several from this city and vicinity intend to be present at the Y. M. C. A. Conference of New England, to be held in Burlington, Vt. Excursion rates are offered on the railroads and tickets will be sold between the present time and the 21st, good for 30 days.

Four candidates received the Red Cross degree last evening at the meeting of St. John's Commandery. Em. H. H. Burbank was present as grand visitor. The work passed off very smoothly and was complimented. A banquet followed the exercises of the evening.

Mr. Samuel Hodgdon is in the city on his return from the scene of his lumbering operations on Black Brook. He reports that work is being carried on under very favorable circumstance at the present time. The roads are in good condition and the hauling meets with no drawbacks.

In spite of the snow yesterday afternoon a large company of ladies assembled in the Memorial Parlors at the appointed hour to organize for the Kindergarten work. A preliminary organization was effected and an adjournment made to next Monday afternoon at the Baptist chapel.

Mr. Clarence F. Heath, of Philadelphia, is traveling in Maine in the interest of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, for which he is state organizer. Mr. Heath has recently instituted a camp at Fairfield. Though as yet there are but few camps in Maine, its aggregate membership in the whole country is very large.

The services at the different churches on Easter Sunday will be unusually interesting, and preparations for them are now being made. The addresses by the pastors will be appropriate to the day and the musical programmes will be elaborate, while in the way of decorations some beautiful effects will be made. Several Easter concerts will be given by the Sunday schools.

In regard to the spring meet of the League of American Wheelmen the Portland *Press* says: "Bangor is said to have been selected as the place for the spring meet of the division on Memorial Day. There is considerable protestation, many expressing preference for Belfast, where there is an organized club anxious to entertain the gathering. In Bangor there are only a few league members."

At the entertainment to be given by the Juniors of the High School, on Thursday evening, in Norombega Hall, among those engaged to take part are Miss Silsby, harpist; Miss Bertha Milliken, whistling soloist; Mr. Sawyer, violin, and the High School orchestra. Dancing will follow the entertainment which will be of a pleasing character. The indications are that there will be a very large attendance.

The Sophomores of the Maine State College will soon begin the arrangements for the observance of Ivy Day, as usual, and the exercises will be elaborate. The following officers have been elected: Chaplain, C. P. Kittredge; Toastmaster at Class Banquet, Hiram Williams; Orator, J. A. Alexander; Poet, George A. Whitney; Odist, L. L. Smith; Curator, H. P. Gould; Presentator, H. W. Smith; Committee of Arrangements, W. W. Crosby, H. M. Smith, J. A. Alexander.

Some of the High School boys and members of the foot ball team are talking of playing this spring as soon as the ground is in good order, and not waiting for the fall, which is the most popular time for the game, which requires cool weather. It will be good practice for those who intend to enter college next fall, and that is why some talk of the spring playing. Two elevens can be organized among the scholars and games between them would prove interesting, while there is a possibility that teams in other places might come here.

Considerable interest is being taken in the presentation of "The Charity Ball" by the New York Lyceum Theatre Company, at the Opera House next Monday and Tuesday nights, and there will doubtless be large audiences present. It is promised that it will be put on the stage in a very complete manner. The players in the cast will include Boyd Putnam, Henry Herman, Miriam Bruce, Lou Stevens, John S. Hall, Walter Thomas, A. W. Gregory, Ruth Carpenter, Frances Grant, Ethel Greybrook, Bessie Tyree, Eliza Logan and others.

WILL ATTEND THE ATHLETIC EXHIBITION. Mr. F. H. Dodge and a party of a dozen or more of the members of his school of physical culture will go to ...

The children's annual festival of the Hammond street Sabbath school will take place in the vestry on Thursday evening. Supper will be served and an entertainment will be given for the little folks.

ORONO PULP AND PAPER COMPANY. Very satisfactory results are being obtained from the operations at the works of the Orono Pulp and Paper Company, at Basin Mills, and such a condition will doubtless prevail in the future. There are being turned out on an average about nine tons of pulp daily, the mill being in operation both night and day. The product manufactured is considered to be one of the strongest pulps manufactured in America, and on a recent test made by a conservative company who make a practice of procuring the best article, it was acknowledged to substantiate this claim. The pulp is also noted for its remarkable whiteness before it is bleached. The work of completing the structures, which though well along, requires some finishing touches, is going rapidly on. A system for conveying the waste products of the Walker mill is now being constructed preparatory to the starting up in the spring. Between fifty and sixty men are employed at the mill and the stockholders are much pleased with the prospects for the company.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY. To-day is St. Patrick's Day and it will be appropriately celebrated by the Irish societies in this city, by an entertainment at the Opera House and a reception in A. O. H. Hall. Nearly four hundred years ago St. Patrick is supposed to have departed this life and the day is still held sacred to his memory. Little is positively known concerning the time and place of his birth but it is generally believed that he was not of Irish descent but was stolen when quite young and sold into slavery in Ireland where for a while he was a swine-herd. Later he escaped to the continent, but afterwards returned to preach the gospel to the natives whom he was very successful in converting to Christianity. The shamrock, the floral emblem of Ireland, was dedicated to St. Patrick, it is said, because he used its trifoliate leaves to illustrate the doctrine of the Trinity. This story rests on tradition only but whether it be true or not the shamrock is to this day associated with the memory of the saint and is seen in all the decorations prepared for his festival day.

BANGOR DEBATING SOCIETY

Last Meeting of the Season Monday Evening in Y. M. C. Hall.

The last meeting of the season of the Bangor Debating Society was held last evening at Y. M. C. A. Hall and much interest was taken in the exercises. The question for discussion was:

"*Resolved*, That the United States ought to further limit or prohibit foreign immigration to this country."

On the affirmative side, Mr. Frank B. Goodcouw led, and on the negative, Mr. Dow. It was decided in the affirmative, the vote standing 7 to 4.

The question was thoroughly discussed and all obtained some new and valuable ideas upon the subject. It was a pleasant and profitable meeting. During the winter twelve meetings have been held with a total attendance of 1,000, showing the marked interest that has been taken.

An adjournment was made to the coming fall and the future meetings will be held in the new building. The first meeting is subject to the call of the executive committee, and it is probable that it will be held on the evening of the first Monday in November.

The following resolutions were passed last evening:

Whereas, The success of the Y. M. C. A. Debating Club has been largely due to the efficiency of the officers who have served during the past winter, therefore

Resolved, That we hereby tender our sincere thanks to our President, J. W. Donigan, Esq., for the time and effort that he has given for the good of the club, to the executive committee for the excellent programmes which they have so promptly presented, and to the other officers for the ability they have shown in performing their respective duties.

FRANK A. BOURNE,
E. EDGAR HARRIS,
WILLARD E. BARROWS,
Committee.

Whereas, the Y. M. C. A. Debating Club has been enabled to hold a successful and beneficial series of meetings through the kindness of the Y. M. C. A., who have furnished the hall, heated and lighted, and borne the expense of advertising, etc., therefore

Resolved, That the thanks of the Club be and hereby are extended to the officers of the Y. M. C. A. for the assistance they have so generously rendered us.

FRANK A. BOURNE,
E. EDGAR HARRIS,
WILLARD E. BARROWS,
Committee.

Maine State Board of Trade.

In a circular issued by the Maine State Board of Trade, among the suggestions regarding the coming semi-annual meeting with the Waterville board next Thursday, commencing at 2 P. M., are the following:

The basis of representation of delegates having the right to vote, is that every Board of Trade having fifty members or less shall be entitled to two delegates; and for every twenty-five members additional, one delegate. Associations having over two hundred members shall be entitled to but one delegate for every fifty members above that number.

All members of Boards of Trade are invited to attend the meetings, and are assured of a most cordial reception at Waterville.

All Boards are urgently requested to send delegates to this convention, to the end that our State may have the solid cooperation of her best business organizations in devising measures for her future prosperity.

The Maine Central and Knox and Lincoln Railroads will pass delegates to and from the convention for one fare for the round trip.

Delegates have only to make themselves known at the stations where they purchase their tickets, to secure free return tickets, or a round trip ticket for one fare.

Boards will please take early action and notify the secretary of the number of delegates that will attend."

The Y. P. C. U. Entertainment.

The entertainment to be given at the Universalist church under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U. will occur next Friday, instead of Tuesday, as erroneously announced. Mrs. Lucia Mead Priest, of Manchester, N. H., the widely known elocutionist, will make her first appearance in the city. Mrs. Cora S. Barker, of Boston, Miss Bertha Milliken, Mr. Don D. Hatch and Mr. W. A. Palmer will give a musical programme. The Boston *Traveller* says of Mrs. Priest:

"The second number was a dramatic rendering of "A Life for a Life," by Lucia Mead Priest. The vivid portrayal of a shipwreck, the heroism of the man who ventures out upon the billows to save lives, was listened to with spellbound interest. The piece abounds with grand situations and the reader rose in this to heights of intensity and dramatic power. This recitation received a strong encore."

This is one of Mrs. Priest's selections to be given here Friday evening.

New Advertisements.

J. D. Glynn, 8 and 9 State street, has ...

INAUGURATION DAY.

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IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

After the address Mayor Snow swore in Councilman Frawley who had been unavoidably absent. The Board of Aldermen were then called to order in their room, by their new Mayor, who addressed them as follows:

Gentlemen of the Board of Aldermen:

We have assembled to assume the duties which devolve upon us, and were it not that I have a firm belief in your assistance and experience, my hopes of success would be greatly lessened. But I feel that we shall work together in perfect harmony to advance and promote the interest of our city and aid each other in accomplishing results that will be satisfactory to our citizens.

The following business was transacted:

Ordered, That the rules and orders of the last Board of Aldermen be and the same are hereby adopted as the rules and orders of this board until otherwise ordered.

Ordered, That the regular meetings of the City Council be held on the second Tuesday of each month at 7 30 o'clock P. M. until otherwise ordered.

Ordered, That the City Clerk be and is hereby authorized to cause 400 copies of the Mayor's address, account of receipts and expenditures and annual reports made to the last City Council to be published in the usual form together with 300 extra copies of the school reports, 100 extra copies of the water board reports and 50 copies of the City Treasurer's report.

Ordered, That when the City Council adjourn it be to meet on Friday, the 20th inst. at 7 30 P. M.

Ordered, That the joint rules and orders of the last City Council be and the same are hereby adopted as the joint rules and orders of the present City Council until otherwise ordered.

Ordered, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to prepare and present to the Legislature forthwith, a memorial with reference to the apparently unjust discrimination made against the City of Bangor, in the recent report of the State Valuation Commission praying for a hearing in the premises pending legislative action. And he is further authorized to adopt such measures as may seem best calculated to protect the rights of the city. And all expenditures occurring under this order with the approval of the Mayor shall be paid out of the incidental fund.

Ordered, That the joint special committee of one Alderman and two members of the Common Council be appointed to consider and report to the City Council what salaries or compensations not otherwise allowed shall be paid to the several subordinate city officers for their services during the ensuing municipal year.

Ordered, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to cause to be prepared a particular account of the receipts and expenditures of the city for the last municipal year in accordance with the provisions of the city charter.

Adjourned.

IN COMMON COUNCIL.

This Board was called to order by Clerk Youngs of the late Board, all the members being present. Councilman O'Donohue, of Ward 1, moved that Councilman Ward, of 4, cast the unanimous ballot of the Board for Charles York Councilman from 5 for President. Councilman Ward, of 1, seconded the motion, which was carried without a dissenting voice. Upon taking the chair Mr. York in a brief speech of thanks promised fair and impartial performance of the duties of president.

On motion of Councilman O'Donohue, of One, seconded by Councilman Ward, of One, the unanimous ballot of the Board was cast by Councilman Reilley, of Ward Six, for Otto F. Youngs for clerk, and Mr Youngs was at once sworn in by Victor Brett, Esq., and, after thanking the Board, entered upon his duties by bearing a message to the Mayor and Aldermen announcing organization for 1891-'92.

The members then drew lots for seats to be occupied by them during the year.

An order was passed adopting the rules and orders of the late Board as those governing the new Board

On Committee on Subordinate Officers to be elected next Monday, the President joined Councilmen Ward, of Four, and O'Donohue, of One, on part of this Board. On salaries to be paid, Councilmen Pullen, of Five, and Cameron, of Four. On business referred from last City Council, Councilmen Page, of Six, and McDonald, of Seven

All other matters acted on by the upper Board which require joint action, were passed in concurrence.

Adjourned to meet Friday, 20th instant, at 7.30 P. M.

AN INTERESTING PROGRAMME

At the Semi Annual Meeting of the Bangor Theological Seminary Rhetorical Society Monday Evening.

The semi-annual meetings of the Rhetorical Society of the Theological Seminary are always of an interesting character and that of last evening at the chapel was in accordance with the rule that has been established in the past. There was a good attendance of the professors, students and friends of the Seminary and the occasion was a profitable one. The exercises began at 7.30 and the following was the

ORDER OF EXERCISES:

Hymn, "My soul, how lovely is the place."

Prayer, Prof. J. S. Sewall.

Address, "The Social Element in the church." Francis A. Poole, '93, Peabody, Mass.

Song, Miss Nettie Gratien.

Address, "Our Opportunities." A. U. Ogilvie, '91, Dundee, Scotland.

Song, "The Pilot Brave,"
Miss M. E. Drisko,
Mr. F. A. Sanborn, '92

Address, "The Tendency Toward Government Control of Industries,"
A. B. Patten, '93, Bowdoinham

Song, Miss Gratien

Address, "Our Work,"
George F. Bradford, '91, Holden

Hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee."

Benediction, Prof. C. H. J. Ropes

The addresses showed that the speakers have abilities of an excellent order, and that much thought and care had been given to their preparation. The various subjects were discussed in a very able manner, and the ideas which were advanced gave evidence of considerable originality. The elocution of the speakers also deserves mention as it was in full keeping with an effective presentation of the addresses, which made a very favorable impression upon the hearers.

The songs by Miss Gratien were charmingly rendered with the harmony, expression and good taste which are peculiar to that young lady's vocalization, and the hearty applause which was given them showed that they were fully appreciated by the audience. Miss Gratien is received with great favor at each public appearance owing to her very praiseworthy singing.

The song by Miss Drisko and Mr. Sanborn was a pleasing feature of the programme and it was given in a manner which received many expressions of enjoyment from the hearers.

Miss Mary Ella Merrill acted as accompanist with her customary skill and good judgment.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. D. T. True, of Portland, is in the city.

Mr. Andrew Stafford, of Bar Harbor, is in the city.

Mr. H. M. Leighton, of Harrington, is in the city.

Mr. S. H. Rodick, of Bar Harbor, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Wm. Fenneley, of Bar Harbor, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. George P. Cooke, of Milford, Mass., is in the city on business.

There was a little improvement in Mr Burr's condition yesterday.

Mr. C. T. Stackpole, of Gardiner, is in the city at the Bangor House.

Mr. J. B. Patterson leaves to-day for a short business trip to Bucksport.

D. T. Sanders, Esq., of Greeneville, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Saunders, of Ellsworth, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Kerr and Miss Kerr leave this morning for Boston for a visit.

Mr. W. H. Harlow has returned from a visit to Washington and other cities.

Mr. W. F. Stanwood, of Brunswick, is in the city at the Penobscot Exchange.

H. B. Saunders, Esq., of Ellsworth was in the city yesterday on his way to Boston.

Mr. B. F. Osgood, of Kingman, was in the city yesterday at the Penobscot Exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodman will soon be in Paris on their trip around the world.

Mr. C. M. Sawyer and Mr. ... of Dexter, were in the city yesterday at the Bangor House.

Landlord Thayer, of the Augusta House, returned to Augusta yesterday after a short visit in this city.

Mr. C. P. Van Vieck, of Winn, agent for Henry Poor & Son, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Marks and Mr. George W. Hayes, of Ellsworth, left yesterday for Alhambra, Montana.

Mr. Charles E. Tilton, principal of the Grammar Schools, will pass part of the present vacation at his home in Skowhegan.

Mr. George E. Goodwin, tenor of the Hammond street church choir, left yesterday for his home in St. Albans, for a short visit.

Miss Helen M. Bigney, of Greenville, who has been visiting her grandparents in this city, and Frank H. Rowe leave to-day for Greenville.

H. H. Burbank, Esq., of Saco, who made an official visitation to St. John Commandery last evening, stopped at the Bangor House during his stay in the city.

Mr. Charles A. Byram, principal of the High School, has gone on a hunting and fishing trip to the woods beyond Patten, where he will pass the two weeks vacation.

Among the guests at the Penobscot Exchange last evening were Messrs. Joseph H. West, of Franklin, H. C. Longfellow, of Lambert Lake, and G. L. Hussey, of Sherman.

Mr. Frank Williams, business manager of "The Charity Ball" company, is in the city making the necessary arrangements for the appearance at the Opera House next Monday and Tuesday nights.

Miss Sara M. Prescott, teacher of the Pearl street primary school, Miss Annie Whiting, of the Third street primary school, and Miss Angela Chase, of the Thomas Hill intermediate school, have gone to Boston to pass the two weeks vacation.

Mr. A. H. Brown, manager of the branch office at Old Town of the Eastern Trust and Banking Company, has recovered from his illness and resumed his duties. Mr. George B. Canney, secretary of the company in this city, has taken Mr Brown's place during his illness.

The Piano Recitals

This afternoon at three o'clock and this evening at eight, Miss Neally Stevens of Chicago, will give piano recitals at City Hall and a great deal of pleasure is anticipated by the lovers of good music, while to the piano student the opportunity to receive instruction will be an excellent one. The attendance at each recital will doubtless be large.

The Boston *Herald* says:

The piano concert given by Miss Neally Stevens at Bumstead Hall last evening, proved a most emphatic success, the auditorium being well filled with an interested audience, and the programme being made very enjoyable by the interpretation given it. It is quite possible that the personal charms of pianists should not be allowed to enter into an estimate of their artistic abilities in their professional efforts, but the charming personality of this player most certainly does result to her advantage with a very large proportion of her auditors. She is, however, a very talented player, and a good musician as well, and commands a hearty approval of her gifts as a pianist in whatever she undertakes as a professional concert artist. Her touch is clear and elastic, her phrasing shows a thoroughly intelligent comprehension of the meaning of the composer, and she has acquired ample technical skill in the manipulation of the keyboard to give her easy command of the most difficult compositions.

The Mafia

The general interest awakened a year or two since to know something about the "Mafia" is likely to be renewed and intensified by the late tragic events in New Orleans. Those who wish further information in regard to this strange and terrible organization which seems to have taken root in our own country will find what is apparently a reliable account of its nature and working in an article in the *British Quarterly Review* for October, 1877, entitled "The Social Quarter in Sicily," and in another article in the Edinburg *Review* for April, '77, entitled "Brigandage in Sicily."

An account of a similar organization in Naples and other parts of Italy, known as the Camorra, may be found in the last few pages of an article in the Edinburg *Review* for October, 1875, entitled "Progress of the Kingdom of Italy."

D. S. T.

Arrested for Assault

William Hellier, William Day and William Wood, of Otis, were arrested and brought to this city yesterday by Detective George W. Harriman upon the charge of assault. The charge is that upon the 9th of the present month the three men while on their way home from this city met in the road Nelson McLaughlin and his son, of Clifton. There were some words between them about turning out, and the matter was finally settled by the three men making an assault upon the other two. McLaughlin was quite badly beaten and received some painful injuries. He came to this city and obtained a warrant for the arrest of his assailants, with the result of the arrest as above stated.

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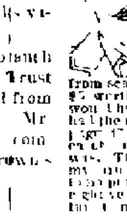

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